



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Jeffrey L. Cleland et al.

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For:

PROTEIN FORMULATION

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PETITION AND FEE FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated June 30, 2004 for two months from October 30, 2004 to November 30, 2004. The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$430 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. <u>A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.</u>

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